

Township Register

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6000 THRILLED AT FIRST AIR SHOW IN THE TOWNSHIP

Washington Township's first air show, presented last Sunday at the Centerville airport, was a spectacle of thrills, laughs, and excitement for an estimated audience of 6000 spectators.

Early in an afternoon of acrobatic precision flying, Lew Irwin of Irvington placed first in a "spot-bombing" contest, which was open to visiting flyers. Flying his own Myers, the Irvington pilot won a \$20 prize donated by Holland's Food Store of Centerville. He has 160 hours of flying time to his credit, and began flying instruction in November of last year.

"Madman" Page was a main attraction of the show with a display of acrobatic flying. He included in his routine: hammerhead stalls, an eight point slow roll, immelmans, a snap and one-half, and slow rolls while circling the airport. The surprise act of the afternoon's show thrilled the audience with comic stunts that included flying beneath telephone wires.

Earleen L. Gaines, University of California co-ed, was cut on her left arm by a propeller while climbing out of an airplane in a relay race. She was taken to the Hayward Hospital by the Dallas Paul ambulance of Centerville, which was standing by during the show.

The air show was brought to the township under the auspices of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce. The day's events were photographed by three men on assignment from Life Magazine.

DECOTO SAILOR'S WIFE ARRIVES FROM AUSTRALIA

"I understand the Americans, except when they drive on the wrong side of the street," joked Shirley Thompson Garcia, born in Australia, this week. She and her 3 months old son, Anthony, arrived in Decoto last week to join her ex-sailor husband, Manuel Garcia, after a 23-day ocean-crossing on an Army transport.

She can't see why the Army transported the 370 Navy wives, for there's no question about her choice of the services. The young couple were married in Australia on May 26 last year after a one-year courtship. The baby is recovering from the measles at the Oak Knoll hospital.

There is another thing she finds different—that something is difference from the Australian dress. It's the levis and plaid skirts, the men wear; in fact, all the gay colors of the California male's dress. She says women's dress styles are similar to those in Australia, with a couple of exceptions. One is slacks, especially in the theater usherettes uniforms; another is that combination of slacks and fur coats. There are a lot more shoes in this country, she thinks; but, she's puzzled: "In Australia there are salesladies in the women's shoe departments."

Whatever their mode of dress, she beamed: "I like the Americans; they're so kind and friendly."

THANK YOU..

The Troop committee of the Centerville Boy Scouts wish to thank the following business firms for their fine public spirit in donating a circulating heater for the Centerville Scout House.

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SANTOS BROS.

THREE LOCAL BOYS ON ALL-STAR TEAM

Three baseball players from Washington Union High School passed the grade this week in the preliminaries that will result, by process of elimination games, in one all-star team among all the high schools in the county.

Jim Shanks, pitcher from Warm Springs; Bobby Rose, second baseman from Irvington; and Harvey Hernandez, outfielder from Decoto, were among the 25 students selected to represent the Santa Clara Valley and Peninsula Athletic League in a double-header at Municipal Stadium in San Jose on May 31. Coach R. I. Hird of the high school was present at the selection of the three boys by a committee of judges of the athletic league in San Jose last Wednesday.

The two boys who stand out in next Friday's games will join the North All-Star team for further eliminations at a championship game in San Francisco in June. The eventual all-star players will compete in national games in Chicago and New York.

SOFTBALL GAMES STARTED FOR '46

A packed grandstand witnessed the opening of the Washington Township Softball League games for the 1946 season at the high school grounds last Friday night, when Woodmen of the World and Wedgewood triumphed over Native Sons and Westvaco, respectively, in practice sessions.

Al Silveria, president of the league association, threw out the first ball, with E. Dixon Bristow swinging at a high and wide pitch. Wedgewood got the first win over Westvaco, 9 to 4, and the Woodmen took the second non-league game from the Native Sons, 4 to 2.

In the first league game, Monday night, Kraftile forfeited the game to Kleine's by not showing up; and Central Chevrolet edged out Westvaco, 9-8. Westvaco lost their second game Wednesday night to Native Sons, 4 to 2, when the game was called after five innings because of rain. In the second game, Manuel Vargas pitched Kleine's to an 8 to 1 victory over Central Chevrolet. Rain called both games scheduled for Tuesday.

The following games are scheduled for next week:

Tonight (Friday), May 24—Central Chevrolet vs. Frick's; and Kleine's vs. Native Sons.

Monday, May 27—Kleine's vs. Frick's; and Mission Firemen vs. Native Sons.

Tuesday, May 28—Woodmen vs. Kraftile; and Wedgewood vs. Central Chevrolet.

Wednesday, May 29—Kleine's vs. Westvaco; and Native Sons vs. Frick's.

Thursday, May 30—Woodmen vs. Central Chevrolet; and Mission Firemen vs. Kraftile.

Friday, May 31—Native Sons vs. Wedgewood; and Westvaco vs. Frick's.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR PETER D. BROWN

Funeral services were held Monday for Peter D. Brown, 45, of Alvarado. A native of Alvarado, he died at the San Jose Hospital last Friday.

He is survived by his wife, Irma Brown, and two daughters, Carol and Georgia. Surviving brothers and sisters are Mrs. Mary Costa, Hayward; Mrs. Lena Lemas, Hayward; Joseph Brown, San Leandro; Mrs. Emily Wallace, Oakland.

Services were held from the Chapel of the Palms with mass at the Holy Ghost Church in Centerville. Burial was in the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward.

JACK ALBERG VICTOR IN NILES ELECTION

493 BALLOTS CAST FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Voters of the Niles Elementary School last Friday re-elected Jack Alberg to the office of trustee by a vote of 308 to 185. He was being opposed by Will F. Lamoreux.

It was definitely "election day" in Niles, with no small amount of tension in the air. Considerable confusion resulted at the polls in the school auditorium when a number of persons, principally from Canyon Heights, came to vote only to find that they had not registered soon enough to be entitled to participate in the school election. These persons, however, may vote in the approaching primary election.

Alberg and his chief supporter, Trustee Joe Gomes, who had accepted Lamoreux's challenge to the trustee post with a strong so-

TOWNSHIP-WIDE MUSIC FESTIVAL THIS SUNDAY

Township residents have an unusual treat in store for them with the advent of the first of the school music festivals to be held this Sunday, May 26, at the Irvington school, with eight schools participating in an elaborate program directed by Bernard Callery, teacher of music in local schools. The program, starting at 2 p.m., with Lee Lykens as master of ceremonies, is as follows:

Combination orchestra, Bernard Callery, director; "Clippers Ship; U. S. A.," March; Excerpt from "Martha," Von Flotow; "Emerald Waltz," Von Blon; "Air Brigade," March.

Valle Vista—Vocal solos by Paul Chapin, accompanied by Lorraine McClain; "Smilin' Through," Penn; "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," Ball.

Alviso—Tonette Ensemble, Mrs. Elsie Madruga, director; March, "The Buglers' Buchtel; "La Donna Mobile," Verdi (from "Rigoletto"); "Lullaby," Brahms; "Irish Piper," Old Tune; "Skaters' Waltz," Waldeufel; "Turkey in the Straw," American Tune.

Russell—Spanish Songs, Mrs. Bea White, director; Vocal solo by Billy Franklin, "South of the Border"; "El Rancho Grande," Uranga; "La Paloma," Yradier (by chorus); Vocal solo by Victor Jimenez, "La Chaparrite"; "La Cucaracha," by chorus (danced by Mary Cota and Benny Pacheco); "Cielito Lindo," Fernandez (by chorus); Chorus: Victor Jimenez, Phillip Soto, Joe Jimenez, Joe Pacheco, Benny Pacheco, Emily Rey Mundo, Mary Cota, Barbara Rivers and Anita Garcia.

Alvarado—"The Minuet in Song and Dance," Mrs. Nyla Connolly, director; Marlene Andrade, Kathleen Brownlee, Natalie Cicalori, Elaine Hocking, Sadako Kurotori, Judy Rontal, Ann Wada, Arnold Gardetto, Tommy Gualco, Eddie Mateo, Melvin Pimental and Dan Scott.

Warm Springs—Mrs. Mary Rae, teacher; "Military March," Schubert; "Gavotte," Gossec; "Turkish March," Mozart.

Centerville—Vocal chorus selections from Operetta "Windmills of Holland" by Meyers and Carrington; Mrs. Inez Silva, director; Chorus: Elaine Bettencourt, Lorraine Gomes, Patricia Perry, Harley Brandt, Marie Gonsalves, Geraldine Silva, Mila Jean Davis, Elsie Horat, Shirley Tovies, Katherine leyFujiway and Mary Parodi.

Newark—Folk Dances, "A Hunting We Will Go," Second grade, Mrs. Cynthia Collins, teacher (accompanied by Newark orchestra); "Irish Jollity," Third grade, Mrs. Gladys H. Fahrner, teacher; "Korobushka," Sixth and Seventh grades, Miss Marjorie Iglehart, teacher.

Irvington—Glee Club, Mary Virginia Bristow, director; "The Lord's Prayer," Mollotte; "It's A Grand Night for Singing," Rogers and Hammerstein.

TAVERN BURGLAR PLEADS GUILTY

Max H. Brannon, 32, pleaded guilty when he was arraigned at the Centerville Justice Court last Friday on the charge of having burglarized Kleine's Cocktail Lounge late last month.

Judge Allen G. Norris certified the case to the Superior Court. Brannon admitted to conviction and sentence on a previous burglary charge in Oklahoma.

RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Lt. Comdr. George E. Horne, of Niles Road, Niles, has been discharged from the Navy at the Personnel Separation Center in San Francisco.

DON'T FORGET THIS LUNCHEON DATE!

There will be one meal you housewives won't have to bother with tomorrow (Saturday).

We're speaking about luncheon, served from 12 to 1:30, which you and your family, of course, are planning to have at the big garden party being held in the gardens of the J. C. Shinn home. The whole town used to turn out for this affair when it was held prior to the war—and the whole town (including business men) is expected to turn out again for a luncheon that only the best cooks of Niles know how to prepare. And for only 75 cents! And all the proceeds go to the Children's Hospital of the Eastbay, as this affair is sponsored by the Toyon Branch.

In addition to the luncheon, there will be all sorts of other things for you to do for entertainment. The Boy Scouts will be there, and the Girl Scouts, too. And you will have a chance to meet and talk with all your friends. Newcomers to the township are especially urged to attend—and if any of you truck drivers see the crowds out in front of the Shinn place, don't be bashful! Come on in! You're as welcome as a business executive, for there's one thing about this party—it's not snobbish. It's for everybody. And it's for a good cause. And you'll get a swell lunch, and have a lot of fun.

See you tomorrow then!

TONY ALVES ENDS 25 YEARS AS FIRE CHIEF

The Register learned this week that Niles may no longer have the services of Fire Chief Tony Alves after June 1. Alves sent in his letter of resignation this week, which would terminate a position he has held for the past 25 years.

It is reported in some quarters that the commissioners will select Clarence Crane as the new fire chief, since he is now the assistant to Alves.

Twenty-five years of unselfish devotion to a civic duty is a record that has earned for Alves the admiration and respect of the entire community. Alves gave of his time and experiences during this period, without receiving any remuneration.

HOLY GHOST IN CENTERVILLE JUNE 1 AND 2

The Holy Ghost celebration of Centerville will take place on June 1 and 2, with A. D. Lewis Jr. as chairman and Jack De Lucias as vice-chairman, according to an announcement this week.

Present plans call for a full two days, with Portuguese and American dances at the Parish hall on Saturday night, and also on Sunday afternoon. On Saturday evening an outdoor program is promised with Philip Sousa acting as chairman.

On Sunday morning there will be masses at 8 and 10:30, and at 1:30 p.m. the usual auction of donations will be held.

The Centerville Band will play selections on both Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon, under their director, Anthony Clark.

Those in charge are asking the cooperation of the townspeople in attending and making the affair a success.

The following are chairmen of the various committees: dance, W. J. Furtado Sr.; entertainment, Philip Sousa; auction, Fred Lewis; soft drink stand, Patrick Francis; bingo table, Mat Whitfield; linguica and hot dogs, J. D. Lewis; outdoor decorations, Dallas Paul; outdoor lighting, Frank Faria.

NILES PARATROOPER ON WAY HOME

WITH THE EIGHTH ARMY IN JAPAN (Delayed)—Pfc. Frank R. Rodriguez, Niles, Calif., paratrooper with the 11th Airborne Division, is on his way home. His date of state-side arrival will depend upon the speed of 4th Replacement processing and transport space available.

Included among the decorations that will adorn the combat jacket of the veteran trooper will be the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, the Victory Medal, and the Japanese Occupation ribbon.

WAR VETERAN, STRUCK BY TRAIN, IS KILLED HERE

A war veteran who had gone through the hazards of the Battle of the Bulge with the famous Rattle splitters, and who came home wounded and weary, lost his life in Niles last Thursday when he sat down on the Western Pacific tracks with a few sandwiches and a carton of milk to await a freight train that would carry him back to his wife and two children in Parker Dam.

The veteran, Mack Harrison Myrick, 38, had come to the northern part of the state to visit his brother, Jack Myrick, who was in the hospital with a broken leg. The brother, also, was a veteran of this war, having served in New Guinea.

The two men, busily engaged in eating their lunch, failed to notice that the train approaching them was on the tracks where they sat, thinking it was on the tracks that paralleled them. Too late they realized their mistake. One brother tried vainly to help the other from the track. The brother was struck and instantly killed.

The brothers, following Jack's release from the hospital, had taken temporary jobs with the Western Pacific, although the dead man had, prior to his trip north, been employed by the Bureau of Reclamation at Parker Dam.

Funeral services were held at Golden Gate National Cemetery under the direction of the Berge Mortuary Company. The deceased had been in the Army three years and had the Good Conduct Medal, the Expert Infantryman's Rifle Badge, the Victory Medal and the ETO Ribbon.

A native of Union City, Tenn., he is survived by his widow, Martha; two children, a girl 12, and a boy 11; two brothers, Jack Myrick and D. H. Myrick; and his father, Halford Myrick.

NILES WRITER IN SATEVE POST

Niles was in the national limelight recently—or rather, we suppose we should say, a resident of Niles, for Niles itself—alas!—remained unmentioned.

Kenneth Young of Niles, who lives with his wife (the former Mae Wittenmyer) in the studio apartment adjoining the El Pajaro Beauty Salon, brought glory to our little town by having a humorous piece of his appear on the Post Scripts page of the Saturday Evening Post. Mr. Young, modest young man that he is, forgets the date of the issue, but is of the opinion that it appeared the week before last.

The young author, discharged from the Army several months ago, has been working for his Master's Degree at Stanford University. His wife teaches school at Alameda.

GOOLD ELECTED TO HEAD PRINCIPALS' ASSN.

J. V. Goold, principal of Washington Union High School, has been elected the new president of the Southern Alameda County Principals Association, at a meeting held in Livermore May 20. He succeeds Joe Michel, principal of Livermore Elementary School.

Other officers elected to serve for the ensuing year are: vice-president, Jack MacGregor of Newark; secretary-treasurer, William Dresbach of Ashland.

A STRANGE STORY TURNS UP IN NILES

SILVAS, UNRELATED, LEAD PARALLEL LIVES

This is a story about coincidence. It isn't a sensational story. It isn't a story that you'd even see headlined. Yet it is a story that probably doesn't have its counterpart anywhere in the United States . . . and it had its beginning here in Niles.

Our little story of coincidence is the story of two Niles boys. And—here's where the first coincidence comes in—both boys are named Silva, and yet they are not related. One is Edward (Eddie) Silva, son of Flora and Tony Silva, and the other is William (Billy) Silva, son of Mrs. Rose Morris.

The following string of events—so coincidental that they are hard to believe—began when the two Silvas were just boys. (They are, incidentally, the same age, both 23 now.) They attended the Niles

Hollywood Thrills Wait For Queen of Festival As Contest Nears Peak

"We've made all the reservations—in the name of Miss X," said Publicity Chairman Gus Robertson this week in telling about the two-day Hollywood trip for the girl who will become Queen of the Washington Township Apricot Festival.

These are the reservations Robertson was talking about for Miss X: a plane trip the morning of July 9 from San Francisco to Los Angeles;

STANLEY URGES APPROVAL OF CHARTER CHANGES

Chester E. Stanley, county supervisor, this week urged all voters to approve at the election, June 4, eight amendments designed to bring the charter up-to-date.

"There amendments," Stanley stated, "have been approved by directors of the Alameda County Taxpayers Association. They were prepared after detailed study by the Board of Supervisors and District Attorney Ralph E. Hoyt."

After pointing out that there is no opposition to the proposed charter amendments, he explained that the tremendous growth in population of Alameda county since 1926, when the present charter was adopted, has greatly changed conditions, necessitating the move to streamline the charter.

"All citizens interested in the future welfare of Alameda county and in good government will vote 'Yes' for these improvements," Stanley declared.

The charter amendments would clarify various powers and authorities of the Board of Supervisors; grant World War II veterans civil service examination preference granted to other veterans; provide maximum eight-hour day in labor contracts of private industry and for county employees; standardize the Alameda County Employees Retirement System, permitting it to join the state or other legal retirement system; authorize not more than two confidential supervisory employees to conduct legislative studies and research work; remove conflict between charter and political code provisions.

IRVINGTON CLUB HOST TO QUEENS

The Irvington Improvement Club devoted last Wednesday's meeting to a program in behalf of the Washington Township Apricot Festival and the contestants for the title of queen.

Six contestants and their friends were present for an inspiring and entertaining message by Joe Blacow. The program, which was presented at the elementary school auditorium, included solos by Beverly Soito of Irvington, and Betty Brandt, queen contestant from Centerville. They were accompanied at the piano by Mabel Enos of Irvington and Fred Costa of Decoto. Ed Rose was master of ceremonies.

Representatives from the Alvarado, Warm Springs and Newark Chambers of Commerce attended.

PATROL BOYS NAMED FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

This year's patrol boys at Irvington school last Wednesday elected those who would take their places during the next school year.

At a meeting in the school auditorium Andrew Costa was named captain, Alvin Gomes, first lieutenant, and Ronald Bothello, second lieutenant.

registration and lunch at the Hotel Roslyn; taxi to Paramount and Radio studio for a tour of the studios; dinner and a floor show at Earl Carol's; back to the Hotel Roslyn. Breakfast the morning of July 10 at the hotel, followed by a special tour as a guest of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. The Queen will then return by plane to arrive in San Francisco at 5 p.m.

Somewhere in the following list of contestants who now have their photographs in the lobby of the Niles Theater, is Miss X: Dorothy Amaral, Irvington; Ellen Hall, Irvington; Betty Brandt, Centerville; with 14,300, 12,100 and 8,800 votes respectively. Mary Goularte, of Newark, 4400; Betty Silva, Alvarado; Annabel Vargas, Warm Springs; Patricia Mendonca, Niles; Marian Green, Niles; each with 3,300 votes. Virginia Feleciano, Decoto; Yvonne Calderia, Newark; Vivian King, Irvington; each 2,200 votes. Elaine Neeley, Mission San Jose, 1,100. In this group Marian Green is a newcomer, and Betty Silva got the support of the Alvarado Chamber of Commerce at their last meeting.

The Irvington Promenaders, who have been working unselfishly for the success of the township festival, are holding a special meeting tonight with other township organizations and merchants, according to Leslie Hiller, program chairman. Hiller added that the meeting would be in the nature of a round table discussion that should foster concerted township action in promoting the festival. The meeting is set for 8 o'clock tonight (Friday) in the Irvington elementary school.

Robertson stated this week that a minimum of 500 dancers will exhibit native and folk dances for the festival on June 23. He added that the dancers come from about eight groups between Fresno and San Francisco.

LOCAL SCOUTS WILL CAMP AT STONYBROOK

The first camporee of the year for local Boy Scouts will be held this week-end at Stonybrook Park where the Niles and Centerville troops will encamp.

Acting Scoutmaster James George will accompany the Centerville troop and Scoutmaster John Cattaneo of Niles will oversee the Niles scouts. The Scouts themselves, however, will do their own work and their own cooking.

DR. J. MERLE BUEHLER OPENS CENTERVILLE OFFICE

Dr. J. Merle Buehler this week opened up offices in Centerville, in the office formerly occupied by Dr. Westphal.

Dr. Buehler, a brother of Dr. Lyle Buehler of Niles, served as a Major in the Army during the war, and comes to Centerville with an impressive war record, with an equally impressive record in medical circles where he is known as a fine surgeon and physician.

NEWS from Walt & Ed

There are several carloads of equipment in storage in Niles for the new Frozen Food Locker plant, and we will announce in a few days when it will be open for business.

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NEW AVIATION FUEL
Russian scientists are reported to be successfully experimenting with turpentine as the basic raw material for a new aviation motor fuel.

THE NEWS IN NEWARK

BY LOUISE CHAPMAN

The eighth grade of the Newark elementary school is sponsoring a movie, "Wells Fargo," May 27, at the school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. This is a good picture well worth seeing. The performance will be for the benefit of the eighth grade.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harris and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harris of Arbuckle enjoyed the Shrine Circus Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lawrence Costa is the proud mama of a baby girl born Wednesday, May 22. The little one weighed nine pounds. Daddy is very proud, too.

Mrs. Lena Calderia attended a party in Hayward this week. It was a very good party, at the home of Sue Barger.

Coming into town, very pleased with their fish catch, were Jim Hardy and Ed White.

Friends of Mrs. Clarence Stewart will be very glad to know that she is up and around again after a short illness.

The Alvarado Hotel center held their meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Williams in Irvington. The discussion was different color schemes and furniture arrangements. It was sort of a good-attendance party, each member receiving a small gift. A committee was appointed for their annual picnic, which is held in August. Last, but not least, the refreshments were on the delicious side.

The third and fourth grades of the Newark school were guests of the Shriners at their Circus on Thursday morning.

Another person enjoying the Circus Sunday was Rita Alonzo, also the "spread" which the Shriners had for members and their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vorst of San Francisco were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harris on Sunday.

Harold Calderia, U.S.N., is now stationed at Hunters' Point in San Francisco.

Bob Tremblay left Sunday by plane for Oklahoma to visit with

friends he met while in the service.

The nice big home being built on Dairy avenue is that of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bimemiller.

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Last Thursday was enjoyed very much by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church who spent the day in San Francisco and San Anselmo. The gardens around the Seminary are beautiful, and they won't forget them for a long time.

The Newark Chamber of Commerce had a very good business meeting Tuesday evening. A letter was written to the Southern Pacific for a train signal on Cherry Road; also to Wallace Boggs, county surveyor, for a stop sign for Cherry Road and Central avenue.

CANYON HEIGHTS NEWS

BY MARY CUPP

Square dancing has become a popular pastime with a group of Canyon Heights residents. Seven couples meet every Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howard for an evening of square dancing. Included in the group are Mr. and Mrs. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mattox, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford White, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mara, Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fields.

Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Dale of Canyon Heights Drive had as their house guests this past week, Mrs. Bruce Nelson and daughter, Murrell. The Nelsons sailed Monday for Honolulu to join her husband, Lt. Melson, who is on duty there with the navy. They were residents of Canyon Heights last summer while Lt. Melson was on temporary duty at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Shoemaker.

Mrs. G. A. Murphy of Canyon Heights Drive was the honored guest at a baby shower Thursday

evening. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Raymond Osborn with Mrs. Dennis Clark and Mrs. Floyd McCown co-hostesses. The evening was spent with games and the opening of many lovely gifts. Delicious refreshments were served with table appointments in pink and blue. Those sharing in the courtesy included Mesdames Walter Chrysler, David Rosekrans, Lou Nielson, James McKiernan, Gordon Marshall, J. W. Dale, Clarence Hale, Sidney Westray, Ira Howard, Clifford White, Richard Purdy, John Names, Richard Colwell, S. Borba and R. Cozzi.

Walter Barker of Lawton, Oklahoma, is spending a few weeks visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clifford White, and family, on Canyon Heights Drive.

A mop party was held at the home of Mrs. Ira Howard Tuesday evening. Those present were Mrs. May Slaneker, Mrs. Rodricks, Mrs. Galon, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Vivian Sackett, Mrs. J. W. Dale, Mrs. L. Slaneker and Mrs. Roy Compton. During the evening, Mrs. Howard was surprised by the unexpected arrival of her son, Otis, from Guam.

William Joseph, three months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. James McKiernan, was baptized Sunday at Corpus Christi Church, Niles. The Rev. T. J. Hennessey officiated at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. John Knowles of Oakland were the baby's godparents.

'SINGLE CHAMBER' FOR TOWNSHIP UNDER DISCUSSION

Efforts of George Cracknell, secretary-manager of the Hayward Chamber of Commerce, to unite all township organizations into a single, master unit were met with delay if not a rejection of the idea as being impractical, at the last meeting of the Alvarado Chamber of Commerce.

Cracknell was introduced as the guest speaker by President J. Lewis, of the Alvarado Chamber, at the meeting, attended by representatives from some of the township chambers.

The plan for a united township organization, working independently or with the Hayward group, met with the opinion that it was premature for this area. Some attending found favor with the suggestion.

The Alvarado Chamber passed a motion to sponsor Betty Silva as the Alvarado queen contestant in the Washington Township Apricot Festival.

GIRLS' LEAGUE HAS NEW OFFICERS

The Girls' League of Washington Union High School elected the following new officers at their regular meeting last week: president, Dorothy Costa; vice-president, Catherine Viveiros; secretary, Mary Abel; treasurer, Diane Ferraris; hospitality chairman, Stella Carter; program chairman, Mary Goularte; ways and means chairman, Joan Berney.

The officers will be installed on June 4 by the retiring officers, with retiring president Eva Jason in charge.

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REBEKAH NEWS

The last regular meeting of Niles Rebekah Lodge was held Friday evening, May 17, at Odd Fellows Hall, Niles, with Ann Arington, vice-grand, presiding. After a short business session refreshments were served in the dining hall. The next regular meeting will be held Friday evening, June 7, according to Anna Bradford, noble grand. The meeting will start promptly at 7:30 p.m., as after a short business session the members will journey to Alvarado to visit Alvarado Rebekah Lodge, and welcome the new president of the Rebekah Assembly, Nellie C. Gartin. Mrs. Gartin will pay the Alvarado Rebekah Lodge an official visit on that evening.

The members of Necona Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 46 will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, May 28, in the Guild Hall of the Niles Congregational Church, according to Barbara Neighbors, president.

The Friendly Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Ivy Cull on Monday afternoon, June 10.

Mrs. Nina Bartholomew, noble grand of Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge, honored Mrs. Ivy Cull, past district deputy president of District 53, her deputy grand officers and drill team, with luncheon and cards, Wednesday, May 22, at her home on the Happy Valley Road near Pleasanton.

Mrs. Olive Pugmire, Mrs. Fern Mitte, Mrs. Anna Bradford, and Mrs. Ivy Cull have returned home from a week's stay at Santa Cruz where they attended the fifty-sixth annual session of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. More than 2000 delegates and visiting members of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs had registered Tuesday, May 14, and the registration committee estimated that several hundred visitors had come to Santa Cruz with members and delegates of both orders, making the total influx for the affair near the 2500 mark. Although the convention was of the Grand Lodge, I.O.O.F., and Rebekah Assembly of California, members from outside states registered from Nevada and Oregon lodges, and as far away as Michigan. Governor Earl Warren spoke briefly at both sessions of the order on Tuesday morning.

TOWNSHIP CLEANERS TAKE IN PARTNER

The Township Cleaners of Irvington recently became a partnership organization. Ed Haynes, former sole proprietor, is now associated in the cleaning establishment with his brother-in-law, Joe A. Semas of Mission San Jose. The new partner is in charge of the township pick-up and delivery service. The cleaning establishment has also added a new presser and boiler to the equipment.

Twenty million tons of wheat are needed to feed the world during the first half of 1946. World supplies now available total only 11 million tons. Oakland Red Cross is giving instructions how to use wheat alternates so that more wheat may be sent overseas.

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BARLEY ORDER CUTS SHIPMENT TO EAST STATES

Acting on the recommendation of the California Farm Bureau, an order restricting the eastern shipments of barley has been approved by the United States Department of Agriculture, it was announced this week by Melvin Nielsen, president of the Alameda County Farm Bureau.

The Farm Bureau recommendation covering barley was one phase of the nine-point program recently presented by the organization to Washington officials on behalf of California's livestock, poultry and dairy producers, faced with a "desperately" short feed situation.

Earlier, Farm Bureau officials had announced that the White House was formulating a directive also based on the Farm Bureau's recommendation, for stepping up the shipments of copra from the Philippines to the Pacific Coast.

According to Matt Triggs, commodity specialist for the California Farm Bureau Federation, the barley order provides that no concern or individual may ship east of the Rocky Mountains or to foreign countries, during any month, California barley in excess of the amount shipped during the corresponding month of 1945.

The need for such restriction, Triggs said, developed because of the prospect of shipments of barley to eastern areas far above normal movements.

"Since imports of wheat and corn into California have been reduced far below the historical levels," he said, "and in view of the critical shortage of feed grain in the state, it is deemed desirable to prevent abnormal out-of-state movement of barley."

Triggs went on to say that the new barley order does not increase the amount of grain available to livestock producers, but does prevent further depletion of supplies.

RUMMAGE SALE IN NILES TUESDAY

There's good news for those bargain hunters who like to haunt the rummage sales.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday, May 21 and 22, a rummage sale is being held by the women of the Guild of the Niles Congregational Church at the store adjoining Bea's Waffle Shop in Niles.

Though one never knows just exactly what to expect at a rummage sale—and that is the thrill of them!—it is always assumed that there will be a good supply of dresses, children's wear, shoes, hats, etc.

Members of the Guild who have items to contribute, may bring them to the sale Tuesday morning or may phone Rev. Grabill who will be glad to call for them.

The last verified grizzly bears in California were killed in Tulare county 20 years ago.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES

The following veterans were recently given honorable discharges from the armed forces: John Pereira, Jesse Reyna, Daniel Joseph Mannix, Frank Perry and Anthony T. Williams, all of Niles; Frank Diamos, Ernest Machado and Robert Hernandez, of Alvarado; Norbert George, Robert Lewis and Rosendo Herrera, of Centerville; Leonard Rose of Warm Springs; Anthony Santos of Mission San Jose; and Salvador Orozco and Earl Mederos of Decoto.

Two township men were inducted into the Army during the month of May. They were: Sammy Diodado and James Sanchez, both of Decoto.

STANLEY HART, AMM2c writes to his mother, Mrs. Jennie Hart of Centerville, that he has been moved from Memphis to Quonset Point, Rhode Island, to embark on a four months' cruise in the Atlantic, following which his ship will join the fleet in the Pacific and he will be stationed nearer home. In the Navy for six years, he expects to be released in another 10 months.

FORMER NEWARK WOMAN DIES IN SAN FRANCISCO

Olive Costa, former Newark woman, passed away in San Francisco on Thursday evening, May 16. She was the wife of the late Raymond Costa, mother of Harriet Beyer and Elmore Costa, grandmother of Louella Beyer, and also leaves three brothers, Anthony of Decoto, and Lawrence and Edward of Newark; one sister, Mrs. Palmeda Pine of Newark.

She was given a mass at St. Edward's Church in Newark Monday morning at nine o'clock. Interment was at Holy Ghost Cemetery in Centerville.

CARD OF THANKS

To the electors of Niles School District:
Please accept my sincere thanks for your support on Friday, May 17, 1946. It will be my earnest endeavor to fulfill the duties of trustee of Niles School District honestly and well.

J. J. ALBERG.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings and masses in our late bereavement.

The family of the late Mrs. Emily Enos Moura

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends throughout Washington Township for their loyal support of my candidacy for re-election to the board of trustees of Washington Union High School.

A. E. ALAMEDA

APRICOT GROWERS WILL MEET IN BERKELEY MAY 27

Representatives of apricot growers from each producing county in the state have been invited to meet in Berkeley on May 27, it was announced this week by Joseph Shinn Jr., chairman of the Apricot Section of the Alameda County Farm Bureau, for the purpose of conferring with spokesmen for retail, wholesale and chain grocery organizations on a merchandising program during the peak season.

The Berkeley meeting, at the state headquarters of the California Farm Bureau Federation, was called by Ray Kloppling, chairman of the Farm Bureau's Apricot Section.

Kloppling said the discussion would involve emphasis on apricot advertising by the grocery trade during the peak season, featuring prominent displays, posters, special lug box sales, and other consumer appeals.

The size of the 1946 crop, Farm Bureau economists said, indicates the need for the largest possible distribution of apricots to housewives for fresh use and home canning.

According to the California Crop Reporting Service in Sacramento, the 1946 apricot crop is estimated at 298,000 tons, compared with 159,000 tons in 1945.

The current jurisdictional canneries strike, Farm Bureau officials said, has made the situation facing growers still more critical.

While the Farm Bureau has made every possible effort to end this strike, so as to permit fruit and vegetables to be processed, the rival labor unions are still battling each other with no immediate prospect in sight for settlement.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Soul and Body" is the subject of the Christian Science lesson sermon for May 26, with the Golden Text from 1 Corinthians: "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?" (3:16).

The following citation is included in the sermon:

1 Corinthians 6:20: "For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's."

CORPUS CHRISTI CARD PARTY

A public card party will be given at the Parish House, Niles, on Monday evening, May 27.

NEWARK, IRVINGTON PUPILS WIN LATHAM AWARDS

Pupils of Newark, Irvington and Mt. Eden schools are among the winning entrants in the International Humane poster contest of the Latham Foundation for the Promotion of Humane Education, it was announced yesterday by the organization.

Emily Scott of Newark Grammar school won a third prize in Group II, and Certificates of Merit were bestowed upon Mariene Andrade, Patty Collins, Joanne Elias, Darrell Ferreira, Helen Fontes, Bobby Hird, Geraldine Homen, Sylvia Perry, Ted Robinson, LeRoy Springer and Joe Toste Jr.

In Irvington Elementary school, a first prize went to Reiko Sato, and the following pupils received Certificates of Merit: Ray Aberherli, Jack Brabant, Eddie Chitwood, Howard Chitwood, Gloria and William Dobyns, Leonard Freitas, Harry Miyasaki, Bryce Phillips, Antone Souza and Douglas Stevenson.

FAMILIAR SITES IN NILES GET NEW COAT OF PAINT

Bright colors were recently added to two familiar establishments in Niles.

Joe's Corner has a fresh coat of green paint on the inside as well as on the front side. At the theater, the ceiling of the marquees was also brightened by the painter's brush.

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CENTERVILLE WINS IN LATHAM CONTEST AWARDS

Students from the Centerville elementary school won prizes in the 21st annual International poster contest of the Latham Foundation, as follows: Joseph Betten-court, grade 8, second prize of \$5 cash.

Certificates of Merit in recognition of excellent work: Beverly Miller, Ruben Guerra, Donald Rouse, Erleene Zimmerman, Lorraine Gomes and Tony Barcide, all in the eighth grade.

Certificates of Merit were also awarded to Donald Elston, Edna Zimmerman, Ronald Martin, William Perry, Larry Staub and Gaudape Ruano, all in the sixth grade.

FREE PHYSICAL EXAMS FOR DECOTO CHILDREN

Children who are to enter the Decoto school in the fall will be given a physical examination on Friday, May 31, 1946, between 8:30 and 12 in the morning, according to Principal Musick.

Mothers are urged to bring prospective pupils for this examination, for which there is no charge.

NEWARK BABY GIRL DIES AT BIRTH

Sympathy is being extended this week to Rev. and Mrs. James Brown of Newark whose baby girl, Grace Louise, born last Sunday, died 26 hours after birth.

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TWENTY YEARS AGO...

(From the 1926 files of The Township Register.)

A float entered by the Niles Chamber of Commerce won first prize in the annual Cherry Festival held at San Leandro.

The Alvarado Chamber of Commerce, after several preliminary meetings, reorganized and named as officers: F. H. Wiegman, president; F. W. Joyce, vice-president; J. M. Menezes, treasurer; H. W. Springer, secretary.

The Irvington Players, directed by Oliver Campos, held final rehearsals for their presentation of "Seventeen."

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Following the dinner the guests retired to the house and Mrs. Ernest Frei of Centerville played several selections on the piano.

During the dinner some of the members and the guests were called upon to give a few words and most outstanding of them all was the one read by Miss Abbie Sunderer, guest mother of Mrs. Frank Dias. Miss Abbie is the oldest member of our community and was greatly honored by the respect shown her and the invitation extended her by Mr. Dias and the club. Here are the lines Miss Sunderer wrote to Mr. Dias and the club to express her gratitude: "Quite the nicest compliment has been paid me by our good host, Frank Dias. Why he chose me I don't know, unless he thinks I'm the gayest belle of the Mission. I sincerely thank him for the honor bestowed upon me. Just so long as men like you honor motherhood and respect old age, the American way of life is in safe hands."

Those attending were: Frank Dias, mother, Abbie Sunderer, Leslie Callahan, Mrs. Mary Callahan, Joseph Azevedo, Mrs. Katharine Azevedo, David Escobar, Mrs. Rose

Escobar, Theodore Garcia, Mrs. Emily Garcia, Joseph Santos, Mrs. Marie Santos, Lloyd Amaral, Mrs. Amaral, Frank and Lawrence Rogers, and their mother, Mrs. Mary Rogers, Ernest Frei and his wife, Esther, Clarence Telles and his acting mom, Mrs. Harvey, Joe Telles Jr. and Mrs. Jay King, Mervin Santos and sister, Mrs. Mildred Steele, Edward Azevedo and Rosalyn Garcia, Abel Vargas and Mrs. Emma Vargas, and Joe Ferry, master of ceremonies.

A very late birthday announcement, but still worth while printing was the May Day one of Mrs. Teddy Perreira. The highlight of the day was a long distance phone call from Muncie, Indiana, from the Tetric family, former Mission residents. She talked to all the family, Bud, Louise, Carolyn, Marilyn, and Pa and Ma. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Callahan of Los Angeles were dinner guests at the Perreira home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith have returned to the Mission following a four-day vacation in the valley visiting relatives.

Mrs. Octavia Young and son, Alfred Bonner, spent one day last week at Bay Meadows attending the races. No luck. Mrs. Young has completed her remodeling at the former "Our Place" which she owns and there are now three nice apartments. Sorry, all are occupied.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rodriguez and daughters, Dorothy and Marilyn, were week-end guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leonard Amaral and family of Sunnyvale. They spent Sunday at Half Moon Bay.

Manuel Perreira and Carl Vincent of Hayward were guests here on Sunday at the homes of Miss Evelyn Meyers and Miss Virginia Lawrence. On Sunday the families motored to Alvarado where they spent the afternoon dancing at the Holy Ghost celebration.

Father Bourque of the Dominican Convent entertained Father Burke of St. Vincent's School at San Rafael on Sunday evening and Monday. He came down to attend the funeral of Sister Sebastia who passed away Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noram J. Kamp and daughter, Vicki, of Placerville, spent several days here at the home of Mrs. Lois Justus and family. They visited relatives in Pa.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—NILES

A branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Regular services are held as follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 A.M.
MORNING SERVICE 11 A.M.
Wednesday Evening Testimony Meetings, 8 o'clock. Reading Room is open Tuesday and Saturday afternoons, 1 to 3, and Thursday evenings, 7 to 9. Church edifice is at Second and E Streets.

cific Grove, Walnut Creek and Hayward while on their vacation, returning on Sunday to their home. Mrs. Kamp is the former Elaine Justus.

The property owned by Mrs. Elena Perreira of Palm avenue here in the Mission where Johnnie Souza and his family live, has been sold to the Ariel Thompsons and they are remodeling, painting and in general giving it a face lift to begin operating another grocery store.

John Rocha, who is employed at the Rocha Dairy here, motored to La Honda Sunday accompanied by Joseph Rocha, to visit John's mother, Mrs. Delpina Rocha, and the brothers and sisters there.

Mrs. Kitty Bernal of Irvington was a Saturday visitor at the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer.

Mrs. Marie Semas motored to Fresno over the week-end to attend the wedding of one of her cousins, returning on the Sunday evening bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Fletcher, who are residing at the T. D. Withers estate have finally gotten the necessary materials to begin the building of their new nursery. The human heart does enough ground foundation is being laid at this time and work will progress as fast as possible. They have been busy transplanting and getting the growing stock in shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frei and son, Ernie, have moved to their new GI home in Centerville. They had been living here with their parents for several months. Ernest was a USN Chief at Moffett Field before his discharge.

The fifth and sixth graders of the Mission Grammar school had their yearly picnic at Linda Vista Park one day last week with Mrs. King in charge. They swam, played games and had a wonderful time.

Miss Rose Mary Telles, clerk at the Mission postoffice, accompanied by George Tucker, newly discharged A.M.M. U.S. Navy from Georgia, along with Mrs. Edwin McNemar, Mrs. Rose Telles and her mother and her aunt, spent Tuesday in Santa Cruz.

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MRS. WM. D. CULL RECEIVES HONOR

For the first time in the history of the local Rebekahs, a member of the lodge will be represented on the Board of Control of the Theta Rho Girls' Club of the Rebekah Assembly. Mrs. William D. Cull, past district deputy of District 53, is the one on whom this honor has been conferred. One of three members on the board, Mrs. Cull will serve a three-year term.

The Rebekah Assembly held its annual convention last week in Santa Cruz.

SHERIFF GLEASON SPEAKS AT CLUB MEETING

Sheriff H. P. Gleason was invited to be guest speaker at a regular meeting of the Southern Alameda County Progressive Club last night, according to President Antone George.

The business and dinner meeting was held at the Florence Restaurant in Niles.

DECOTO SCHOOL

By Margaret Williams

The Junior Traffic Patrol and five honorary students attended the Shrine Circus presented by Aahmes Temple last Tuesday. Members of the Patrol are: Roque Feliciano, John Garcia, Andrew Gonzales, Richard Guerra, George Pagan, Fred Sanchez, Raymond Berios, Joe Martinez, Henry Mendoza, Clarence Souza, James Bolivia, Chester Caldeira, Frank Milina, Dick Garcia, Raul Orozco, Andrew Gonzales and Edward Carvalho.

The five honorary students were: Margaret Diosdado, Irene Delgado, Betty Jean Rabello, Dolores Lorenzo and Margaret Williams. They were accompanied by Mr. Clarence Joergensen.

The Decoto boys' team defeated the Alvarado boys' team recently by a score of 17 to 1.

Rehearsals have been started on the graduation program. The graduation exercises will be held on June 14. There will be a play, musical and dance numbers on the program.

DATE SET FOR POTTERY WORKERS PICNIC

The first Sunday of the month, June 2, has been set for the annual barbecue of the union pottery workers at the California Pottery Company in Niles, according to Secretary D. J. Clark of Local 319.

Clark stated this week that it will be a steak barbecue for about 200 members and their immediate families at the picnic grounds in Elderberry Park. The local is affiliated with the United Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers.

More American lives were lost through accidents during the war than were lost by enemy action.

MATINEE SATURDAY AT NILES THEATER

A kiddies matinee will be held at the Niles theater tomorrow, Saturday, featuring "Pinocchio," and Wild Bill Elliott in "Goldrush Days." The performance will start at two and will be continuous.

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ALVIN SILVEY, Alvarado, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 3rd day of May, 1946.

ALVIN SILVEY

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 3rd day of May in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ALVIN SILVEY, known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

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...Around the Township...

Local Women To Drive East

Leaving for a trip to the middle west in the early part of June will be Mrs. Margaret Nelson and Mrs. Paul Offel of Niles, and Mrs. Mamie Grimes of Palo Alto. Mrs. Offel will visit in Lincoln, Nebraska, while Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Grimes will go to Kansas City, Missouri.

Sisters on Vacation

Staffs of both the Decoto and Niles postoffices have members on vacation this week. The vacationers are sisters, Miss Mary Janeiro and Miss Cecilia Janeiro of Decoto. Miss Mary Janeiro is the postmistress at the Decoto office, and her sister is the assistant in the Niles office.

Rebekahs in Santa Cruz

Attending the Rebekah Assembly convention at Santa Cruz last week were Mes. Anna Bradford, Fern Mitte, Olive Pugmire and Mr. and Mrs. William Cull. Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. Mitte and Mrs. Pugmire were guests, during their stay, at the summer home of the Franklin Browns at t. Herman.



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Albe Mae Costa Sets Wedding Date

Wedding plans can now be chalked off as complete for the June 16 nuptials of Albe Mae Costa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Costa of Niles, and Donald Lemos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin Lemos of Hayward. The two o'clock ceremony will be performed at Corpus Christi Church, with a reception following.

Albe Mae will be attended by Vivian Griffith as maid of honor, Thelma Costa and Winifred Lemos. Milton Lemos, the bridegroom's cousin, will be best man and seating the guests will be Raymond Peterson and John Souza.

In honor of the bride-elect, Mrs. Edward Reynolds (Lorraine Peterson) of Oakland was hostess at a grocery shower last Tuesday evening. Those present were Vivian Griffith, Marjorie Ogard, Mrs. Emma Costa, Mrs. Mae Costa, Mrs. Antone Gomes, Mrs. Joaquin Lemos, Mrs. Ray Peterson, Mrs. Adelaide Russo and daughter, Beverly, Thelma Costa.

Following an evening bingo, refreshments were served. Albe Mae, locally known for her musical accomplishments, is a graduate of Washington Union High School. For the past year she has been employed at the Central Bank in Niles.

The bride-elect, former Irvington boy, is also a graduate of Washington High. He served for three years in the Navy, and has more recently been employed at Peterson Tractor and Equipment Company in Hayward. The young couple plan to make their home in Niles.

Week-End Guest

Miss Anne Hoffling, a fellow student of Miss Gayle Maphet's at San Jose State College, was a week-end guest at the Maphet home in Niles. The two girls spent part of the week-end taking pictures in Niles Canyon for their photography class.

Return from Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cunha of Decoto returned from their vacation trip this week.

The couples included in their motor trip a visit to Boulder Dam.

Touring Middle West

Mr. and Mrs. George Duffey of Niles are on a two weeks' vacation in Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado, visiting relatives.

Engaged Girl Entertained

Center of a round of pre-nuptial entertainment is Nita Lagorio who will become the bride of William Pessagno on June 22.

A miscellaneous shower given at the Steven Birti home on Wednesday, May 15, was one of many such affairs given lately for the popular young bride-elect.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Rose Birti, Miss Alberta Peixoto and Miss Antoinette Birti.

Those who attended were: Mesdames Mary Pessagno, Elena Lagoria, Theresa Pessagno and Laura Pessagno from Niles; Misses Ermino Bertero, Madeline J. Ghiglione, Elsie Pertero and Madeline A. Ghiglione from San Lorenzo; Mesdames Mary Varni, Rose Birti, Rose Sobrero and the Misses Antoinette Birti and Alberta Peixoto from Hayward.

Mesdames Eva Bertero, Ruby Gigli, and the Misses Gloria Gigli and Lena Parodi from San Leandro; and Mrs. Gloria Rossi from Oakland.

Games were played and refreshments served.

Welcome Guests At Scamman Home

The nicest birthday present that any mother could have is a son returning from the service. That happy incident happened to Mrs. George Scamman of Irvington, whose son, Frank, arrived home with a discharge from the Navy last Saturday, which was also Mrs. Scamman's birthday. Frank has been in the service for 31 months, the last several of which were spent in Japan and China.

Another welcome visitor at the Scamman home recently was their daughter, Mrs. Charles Jones (Melba Scamman) who was here for a week over Mother's Day, from Riverside. Accompanying her on the trip was another former local girl, Mrs. Jim Thatcher (Lolly Sanchez) who visited relatives in the township and in Mt. View.

Krafts in Los Angeles

Miss Althea Kraft of Hayward has gone to Los Angeles to visit her brother, William Kraft and family, former residents of Newark who recently moved to Los Angeles. William Kraft is proprietor of a restaurant there.

New Baby Girl

A baby girl, weighing nine pounds, was born Tuesday morning at the Hayward Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Costa of Newark. This is the couple's first child. Mrs. Costa is the former Lillian Caldeira.

In Mountains

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blake of Niles spent last week-end in their cabin in the Santa Cruz mountains. Accompanying them was Carl Wood, former Niles boy, who recently received his discharge from the Navy.

Attend Fashion Show

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kirkish of Centerville attended the formal opening last week in San Francisco of the new "Alice in California" fashion show, which featured "Lady Alice" and "Lil' Alice" dress fashions in flight.

From Wyoming

Mrs. Louis Cardoza is returning to her home in Centerville this week after a month spent visiting relatives in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Accompanying her on the trip was her son, Ronald.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldeira of Hayward were recent dinner guests at the home of the Bettencourt family on Thornton avenue, Centerville.

Bridal Shower for Gloria Salvadorini

Miss Gloria Salvadorini, who will become the bride of Mr. Stewart Wilkinson on June 2, was the guest of honor last Wednesday evening at a miscellaneous bridal shower and party given by Miss Janice Roderick at her Niles home. The bride-elect received an array of beautiful gifts. Refreshments were served from a charmingly appointed table which had as a centerpiece a tiny miniature bride in the traditional white, with the maid of honor in blue and the bridesmaid in pink, which carries out the color scheme of the real wedding.

Among the guests were Mrs. Rebellio, Ida Morse, Enis Dingacci, Susie Di Guilio, Adelaide Russo, Helen Silveria, Wilma Duffie, Marilyn Turner Mrs. Emily Faria, Mrs. Ernestine King, Eldena Viera, Bette Silva, Wilma Silva, Mrs. J. E. Ducker, Marjorie Brunelli, Vivian Griffith, Albe Mae Costa, Betty Burr, Dorothy Domenici, Mrs. G. Brunelli, Mrs. Adeline Viveiros, Shirley Viveiros, Lillian Brunelli, Flora Silva, Catherine Viveiros, Mrs. Beulah Wilkinson, Theresa Salvadorini, Irene Henderson, Shirley Roderick, Mrs. Angie Roderick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zwissig, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, Lawrence Moise and Stewart Wilkinson.

Dinner Guests of Ensign Ferrante

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bendel were the dinner guests of Ensign John Ferrante, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ferrante, aboard his ship, the U.S.S. "Barton," last Tuesday. The "Barton" will leave shortly for the atomic bomb tests in the South Pacific.

Become Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bagnatori of San Francisco became the parents of a baby girl last Wednesday. The baby weighed nine pounds. The mother is the former Miriam Costa of Newark.

Up in Air

Last Sunday was quite an exciting day for a couple of teen-age girls, who went up in an airplane for the first time at Centerville Airport. The girls are Joane Strano of Newark and Theresa Baptista of Mowry avenue. They enjoyed their ride very much and are looking forward to more air rides.

COINCIDENCE

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amazingly enough, while Billy was still in sickbay, Eddie followed him with the same ailment!

But that isn't anything compared with what happened next! Both boys were released from sickbay at the same time, and—within a few weeks—both boys were back in sickbay at the same time for tonsillitides! (We warned you this was a story of coincidence!)

Receiving identical orders when they were awaiting overseas shipment, the boys were then put on the same transport and spent 13 months together in the Pacific, taking part in four major engagements. Then they were given their leave together (and we're inclined to think this was coincidental, too, rather than attributing it to any particular sentimentality on the

part of Uncle Sam!).

Now here the coincidence breaks a little—but not for long!—because while on leave, Billy married Wilma Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin of Alvarado. But Eddie was right there to do best man honors—and to become better acquainted with the bride's sister (of which, more later).

The boys put out to sea again, and again (as you may have expected) together—but on a different ship from the one they had been on before. (Uncle Sam, it seems, had an uncanny habit of keeping these boys together).

Billy was discharged first because of the accumulation of points attributed to earlier enlistment and marriage. So he came home to be with his wife.

So now the chain of coincidences is broken, you think? Don't believe it! Eddie then came home and kept an unbroken record by also marrying a Martin girl. He married Wilma's sister, Mildred!

This little story of coincidence comes to a close, but not before we tell you that both young couples are living in Alvarado in house, given to them by the brides' parents, not more than a stone's throw from each other!

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Sweet are the uses of adversity; Which, like the toad, ugly and venomous, Wears yet a precious jewel in his head.

In other words, friends, there was a lot of good for the children came out of the election—even though our side didn't win. And it IS the children we're thinking about, isn't it? Some people seem to have lost sight of that fact.

As for the name-calling and mud slinging—I can only be very grateful that we didn't go in for it. Those who did must feel just a little ashamed, don't you think?

He is the happiest, be he king or peasant, who finds peace in his home.

So now, dear readers, I think I shall take Goethe's advice and go home to find some peace.

Ah, elections!

CLEANING ESTABLISHMENT BUILDS DECOTO BRANCH

A new building is being constructed on 10th street, Decoto, that will house a drop-in store for the Henry Miller cleaning establishment.

Miller stated this week that he expects construction work to be completed within the next two weeks. He added that the building will have two stores, one of which will be his new agency.

B.P.W.C. DELEGATES ATTEND CONVENTION

Attending the state convention of Business and Professional Women at Hoberg's last week were two delegates from the local club, Miss Carmelita Berge, retiring president, and Miss Gay Knoles, incoming president.

Over 500 women from all over the state were present at the 3-day affair. Discussion at the meet included a strong plea for a more active legislative program.

NYLONS, BUTTER

Approximately 100 women attended the public card party given by the Drama Section of the Country Club last Saturday, in the Country Club building. Many handsome prizes were awarded, including nylon hose and even butter.

California wines are kept in redwood vats because redwood imparts no flavor to spoil the vintage.

GOOD TIME TO PUT UP CHICKEN

Plump, tender chicken put up now when there is an abundant supply on the market will make good eating next fall and winter when the supply is apt to be low, according to home demonstration agent, Mrs. Maryetta W. Holman.

Freezing storage is an excellent way to preserve chicken, both the whole bird for roasting and those cut up for frying or fricassee.

Chicken should be closely and tightly wrapped in moisture-vapor proof paper to prevent drying out during storage. The heavy locker paper with a wax coating on one side or locker cellophane may be used. The drug store type wrap of small folds gives best protection. If a freezing locker is not available, chicken may be canned by using a pressure cooker.

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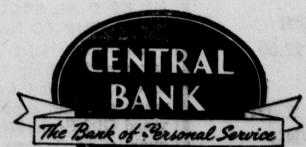
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The Niles Girl Scouts, always eager and willing for new adventures, journeyed to Hayward last week and had supper in the Hayward Girl Scout House. They had such a good time that they are looking forward to other such trips.

Accompanying the Scouts were their leader, Mrs. A. W. Gorman; their assistant leader, Mrs. Henry Vervais, and Mrs. W. F. Lamoreux and Mrs. Mamie Ferreira.

CENTERVILLE TO HOLD CLEAN-UP

Centerville merchants are working on a special, worthy community project this week. Their job is to make "Clean Up Week" a success.

The idea started with the Chamber of Commerce, Fire Department, and Lions. All these organizations are sponsoring the drive to make each merchant responsible for the tidiness of his Main street front.

The merchants are asked to collect any rubbish in boxes to be placed at the curbs. On Sunday a committee, appointed by President Loren Marriott of the Centerville Chamber, will haul away the collections on a truck donated for the occasion by Lee Williams. Jack Holland is named chairman of the week's drive.

DISTRICT DEPUTY TO VISIT ST. JUDE'S

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The Rev. C. L. Paulhemus, director of the restoration fund of the Presbyterian Church, will present a 22-minute picture of war havoc in Europe and Asia. The meeting will conclude with an informal question and answer session. A memorial day service, this Sunday, will be held at the Newark Presbyterian Church at 10 a.m. The Rev. James Brown will preach on the subject, "A Greater Death."

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Sgt. Alvin J. King, husband of Mae King, R.F.D. Box 303, Newark, has been honorably discharged from the armed forces at the Camp Beale Separation Center.

Entering the army in June of 1944, he was assigned to the Army Service forces, Ordinance department, as a machinist.

Sgt. King has been awarded the Good Conduct medal the European Service Ribbon and the American Theater Service Ribbon during his 23 months of service.

CALLORIES LACKING

In Greece only 700 calories in food are available to each person per day. This is 50 per cent below the minimum health requirement of 1500 calories per person per day. Alameda county Red Cross nutrition classes are teaching now how to save needed foods so that more may be shipped overseas.

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FUNERAL RITES TOMORROW FOR M. LAMBAREN OF DECOTO

Manuel Lambaren, 59, resident of Decoto for 21 years, died Wednesday in an Oakland hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Frances Lambaren, and their children.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 8:30 from the residence at 414 Seventh street, with a 9 o'clock mass at Corpus Christi Church in Niles. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward. Funeral arrangements are by Dallas Paul in Centerville.

DEEPEST OIL WELL

The world's deepest producing oil well recently was brought in at Weeks Island, near New Iberia, La. It has a depth of 13,778 feet—more than two and one-half miles.

COOPERATION IN TESTS ASKED OF SCOUT PARENTS

Parents of Niles Boy Scouts are being urged by the Scout leaders to ask the boys about their tests during the current test-passing drive, and to cooperate in any way possible in order that the boys will come through their test-passing, with flying colors.

At a recent P.T.A. meeting at the Niles school, the Scouts put on several acts depicting the meaning of the Scout laws.

Americans eat an average of 45 pounds of fats per year per person, while Italians and Poles are now rationed to four pounds or less per person a year. Red Cross cooking classes are now teaching how to save vital fats and oils so that more may be sent to the famine areas.

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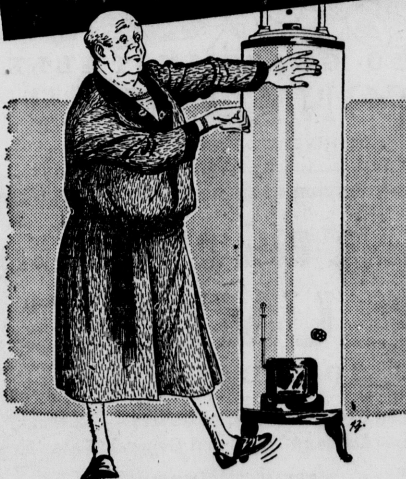
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